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Mail Stop Patent Application

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Presented for filing is a new continuation patent application of:

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Title:

IDENTIFYING INTRINSIC PIXEL COLORS IN A REGION OF

**UNCERTAIN PIXELS** 

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TWIN CITIES WASHINGTON, DC The prior application is assigned of record to Adobe Systems Incorporated, a Delaware corporation, by virtue of an assignment submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office and recorded on July 13, 1999, at reel 01008, frame 0370.

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b): -

	Pages
Specification	35
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Drawing(s)	7

## **Enclosures:**

— Preliminary amendment, 10 pages. Information Disclosure Statement (1 page) Form 1449 (citing 14 Refs.)

— Postcard.

This application is a continuation (and claims the benefit of priority under 35 USC 120) of U.S. application serial no. 09/298,872, filed April 26, 1999. The disclosure of the prior application is considered part of (and is incorporated by reference in) the disclosure of this application.

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Applicant requests consideration of the enclosed Preliminary Amendment prior to calculation of the filing fee.

A check for the filing fee is enclosed. Please apply any other required fees or any credits to deposit account 06-1050, referencing the attorney docket number shown above.

If this application is found to be incomplete, or if a telephone conference would otherwise be helpful, please call the undersigned at (617) 542-5070.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this application by returning the enclosed postcard.

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Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17) (Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)  Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.  Specification (preferred arrangement set forth below)  Descriptive title of the invention Cross Reference to Related Applications Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix Background of the Invention Brief Summary of the Invention Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed) Detailed Description Claim(s) Abstract of the Disclosure  Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 3]  Newly executed (original or copy)  Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)  i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76			(if app a. b. c.    AC 9.   10.   11.   12.   13.   14.   15.   16.   17.   17.	7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)  8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)  a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)  b. Specification Sequence Listing on:  i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or  ii. Paper  c. Statements verifying identity of above copies  ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS  9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))  10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)  11. English Translation Document (if applicable)  12. Information Disclosure Copies of IDS Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  13. Preliminary Amendment  14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)  15. (Should be specifically itemized)  16. (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.				
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